

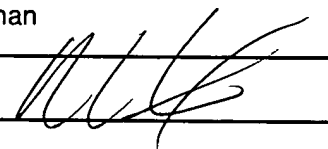
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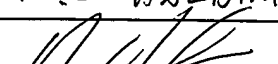
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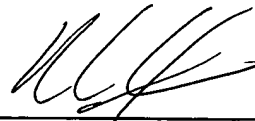
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**Response to Communication**

Sir;

In response to the Office Communication of June 8, 2005, applicant states that he will proceed upon the application filed on 01 August 2003. The application filed on 30 September 2004 is hereby withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,



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